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tion was held at the residence of Dr. B. Hales, Thursday at 3:30 p. m.

There were present: Drs Crittenden, of Unionville; Holladay, of Orange; Bledsoe, of Locust Grove; Gordon, of Indiantown; Shopoff, of Fanquier, and Drs Martin, Doggett, Hales, Tompkins and Barney, of this city.

Dr. W. J. Crittenden read an excellent and practical paper dealing with "Oerebro-Spinal Meningitis," which was enjoyed by all present. After a profitable discussion the Society ad-

will relieve the poor little sufferer im mediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for 'Mrs winslow's Sacthing Syrap.''

Local and Current Comments. ANOTHER REUNION

The first month of the fall of 1900 is Sheriff Heslin, of King George, was PITTSBURG GRAND ARMY MEN TO in the city yesterday.

Preaching at Mission Sunday at 4 p. m. by Rev. W. D. Smith. Why is it that Mr. J. D. Ray is all

smiles just now ! Mr. Horace Tansill, of Washington, is the guest of relatives here. Miss Sallie Spindle, of Culpeper, is the guest of Miss Brace Goolrick.

Mrs. J E Timberlake and little son left yesterday for a visit to Baltimore. Miss Ruth Tanner, of Richmond, is the guest of Miss Kate Newell Doggett.

Mr. Jao. Davis, of Washington, is

Mr. James Monoure, of Richmond, is he guest of relatives and friends in Davis. Stafford. Dr. Fewell Merchant, of Manchester, was the guest of relatives in the city,

Susie Whitehouse.

This is a chance to get lace curtains, our present stock to be sold at a sacrifice. T. N. Brent.

Mrs. J. W. Chilton and daughter, Miss Florence, of Washington, were in the city this week Miss Bettie Buchannan left yesterday

for Washington, where she will visit a day and night in our city relatives for several weeks Mr. and Mrs George T. Newton and Mrs A. T. Murphy, of Washington, at-tended the Fair here Wednesday.

Dry weather does not stop the Fred ericksburg Cereal Mills They ran ericksburg Cereal Mills They run every day and want corn. J.S. Woods.

We have had numerous inquiries about houses and rooms to rent. Persons having such would do well to advertise

Misses Ella McCarty of Brooklyn, and Minna Duniep, of Baltimore, are the walk mark rapid progress in those arts, guests of Dr. H. M. D. Martin and if arts indeed they be.

Big bargains in Silks this week.
Our present stock to be closed out at a sacrifice. 50 cent silks at 35 cents. T N Brent. Messrs Henry Turner, James Boggs.

Roy Mason and George O. Tayloe, of King George, were among the visitors at the Pair on Thursday Ensilage Cutter For Sale — A new Ohio Ensilage Cutter, No. 16, with horse power and carrier complete, for sale cheap Write L G Johnson, Mar-

Dr. E. Guy Hopkins, of Glen Allen, a grandson of Mrs. A. P. Rowe, has be-come associated with Dr. Stuart Mo-

Guire, of Richmond, in the practice of Mrs. Horace Henderson died of hemorrhage of the lungs at her home, near Passapatanzy, Tuesday night, aged

35 years. She is survived by a husband and ten children.

The services at the Presbyterian church last Sneday afternoon were finely attended. On next Sunday at 5 p m. Dr. Rosebro will draw some lessons from "The Storm at Galveston."

at Howard House on October 3, 2p. m

Special reduction on Cabinet Photographs and "Favorites" during this of billons colic. week and during the week of the Fair at the Davis Gallery, 817 Main street Mrs. John Grasty, of Lahore, Work guaranteed first-class in every re-

Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, at the Baptist Church, Rev Dr. J. S. Dill will preach a special sermon to the children, subject "The Growing Child," Parents are invited to come and bring the of October.

Rev. Geo. W. Coleman has returbled from the Springs much improved, and is staying with Mr. D. P. Coleman, proprietor of the Orange Hotel.

Our public schools will open the 15th of October.

The Free Lance had a pleasant call Thursday from Miss T. Williams and Miss H. Tanquary, of Washington; R. J. Haynes and W. T. Haynes, of Supply; M. D. James, of Loretta, and W. A. Williams and S. J. Williams, of Ira-

For three days during the Fair, September 25th, 26th and 27th, special attention will be given to fitting on Hawkee' spectacles, without charge, at Hall's Drug Store. We can furnish them in gold, aluminum or silver, or Tappahannock, October 4th, any other style, at lowest prices.

Rev. J. H. Boyd, D. D., of Washington, presiding elder of this district, Baltimore Conference, will preach at the Methodist church on Sunday night

The regular quarterly meeting of the Rappahunnock Valley Medical Associa-tion was held at the residence of Dr. B.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pains, cures wind colio, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer im mediately. Sold by Druggists in every was enjoyed by all present After a profitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room, where Mrs. Rowlett and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room, where Mrs. Bowlett and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room, where Mrs. Bowlett and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room, where Mrs. Bowlett and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room, where Mrs. Bowlett and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room, where Mrs. Bowlett and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room, where Mrs. Bowlett and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room, where Mrs. Bowlett and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room, where Mrs. Bowlett and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room, where Mrs. Bowlett and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room, where Mrs. Bowlet and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room, where Mrs. Bowlet and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room, where Mrs. Bowlet and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adjourned to the dining room where Mrs. Bowlet and Miss Suste Hales dispensed at prefitable discussion the Society adj

MEET IN FREDERICKSBURG IN COTOBER.

Fought Upon the Steeps of Marye's Heights

The rennien of Allabach's Brigade, Humphrey's Division, Fifth Army Corps, at Fredericksburg next month promises to be the most important gathering of the kind that has been held in recent years, says the Pittsburg (Pa.) Leader of Sunday last. The regiments that will take part in the re-union are the 123d, 133d, 134th and 155th Pennsylvania volunteers. The 123d and 155th are Pittsburg regiments. Mr. Julian Wall, of Richmond, is the gnest of Mr. S. G. Wallace and the others are from counties in the west-srn part of Pennsylvania. Among the distinguished men who will be present are Senator M. S. Quay (who carries a medal of honor awarded by Congress to the great of Mr. H. D. Genther and in services in going into battle after he had resigned as Colonel of the 134th). General Butterworth and Hon. David

Humphrey's Division gained fame by its fearful onslaught up Marye's Hoights, and it is to these scenes that the brave survivors are coming after Thursday.

Misses Mattie Baker and Flora Hayes, of King George, are the guests of Miss Suste Whitehouse.

In a large survivars are charged. To nearly a generation has clapsed. To say that they will be received with true Virginia hospitality we need but refer to the events of May last, the remion here of the Society of the Army

of the Potomac.

About three hundred veterans and their families, it is stated, will attend the reunion. They will leave Pittsburg on the evening of October 10th, stopping on the 11th at Auticiam, and will neabhly arrive here on the 12th. will probably arrive here on the 12th. Their present contemplation is to spead

ORANGE.

(Correspondence of The Free Lance.)

Quite a crowd of pleasure seekers gashered at Dr. O. R. Mason's Tucsday evening and till past midnight enjoyed dancing, courting, sporting, etc., etc. The new features of dress and locomo-tion introduced into the waltz and cake

Mrs. Baron and daughter, Miss Dora, who have been summering at the hos-pitable mountain home of Mr. W. C. Graves, left Monday for Charlotte, N.

Mr. Smith Davis, of King William, who has been visiting his cousin, Mr. Will King, of Thorn Hill, has gone

Messrs Marshall and Sam Frazer left for Richmond College Thursday These boys stood well in their classes last seasion, and return with bright prospect

before them

Dr. Urittenden, of Unionville, has secured as instructor Miss Campbell, a cultured lady and successful teacher. Friday night there was an enjoya ble surprise party at Mr. T. S. Casey's. The young people enjoyed themselves a greater part of the night. Mr. Nat Frazer, of Richmond, has been on a flying visit to Orange this

Mr. Jno. Henderson, largely and successfully engaged in the lumber thing you need in dry goods, C. W. Jones has just received a full stock of cloaks, golf capes, jackets, dress capes, furs, dress goods, etc.

Week.

Mr. Jno. Henderson, largely and successfully engaged in the lumber business in West Virginia, is on a visit to his home, near Daniel. We hear that he sold his large crop of fine wheat to Mr. Golsan, of the upper end Mrs Petry, of New York, is on a visit to her sister, Mrs Joseph M. Henderson, at Huntsman's Rest. Mr. Howard, of Richmond, is visit-ing relatives at Lahore Next Sunday Rev. Richard Bagby

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Davis announce the marriage of their daughter, Sailie Wilson, to C. Richelieu Coleman, ceremony to take place in Washington, D. C. to sow wheat. About the average crop

so well, and her many friends are anxi-

ons about her.

Rev. Geo. W. Coleman has returned

Appointments for Speaking. WILLIAM P. BARKSDALE.

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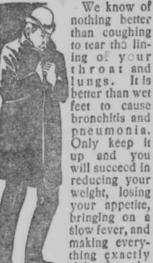
Candidate Stubbs to Speak. Hon. Jas. Monroe Stubbs, Republican candidate for Congress in the First District, will address the sovereigns at Spotsylvania court, Monday next.

Robbed of Watch and Money.

Fairfax county, was robbed on his way to the depot here Thursday night of a gold watch and chain and twenty-two dollars in money. He was with a crowd who had been attending the Fair.

The Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. B. S. Burke, Esq., of Olifton Station

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Wheat, 65 to 72;corn, 47 to 48, meal 115 to 120 per 100 pounds; cate, 25 to 30; fowls (live), 6½ to 7½; turkeys live, 5 to 8; ducks live 7 to 8; spring chickens, 10 to 10½c. per lb; lard, 7 to 8; eggs, 14 to 15 cts.; butter 15 to 20; hams, 10 to 11, Irish potations, 60 to 70; beef, 3 to 3½; veal, 4½ Pork, 5 to 5½; hides (green), 6 o 7½; hides (dry), 8 to 9.

Wool—Unwashed, 20 to 21; washed, 27 to 28. 27 to 28.

Leaf Sumac-50 to 55 cents per hun dred pounds. The Grain Market The grain markets closed yesterday as follows:

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Ohicago—Wheat, Sept. 77½; Oct.

77½; Nov. 78½; corn, Sept., 40; Oct.

88½; Nov. 36½; cats, Sept., 21½.

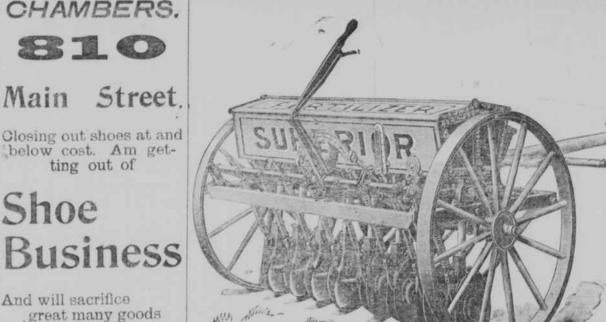
New York—Southern wheat, 78 to

83; corn, 46 to 47.

Baltimore—Southern wheat, 70 to 74;

Scattern corn, 48 to 49. Southern corn, 48 to 49, Richmond-Wheat, 70 to 74: corn

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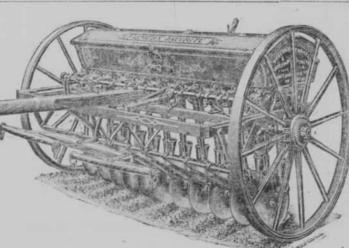
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